GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1196
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CONSTITUTION OF EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION
Munda Shri Arjun

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to constitute Equal Opportunity Commission;

(b) if so, the details and objectives thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be constituted?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT(D. NAPOLEON)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) An Expert Group was constituted on 31.8.2007 to examine and determine the structure and functions of an Equal Opportunity Commission (EOC). The Expert Group has submitted its report and the proposal of setting up of EOC is under consideration of the Government.